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1. So far as is known to the German Central Administration of Industry, AGFA-Seide, Prennitz, has not been awarded to the Russians but remains the property of the Allied Control Council. It is held in trusteeship and administered by the Province of Brandenburg. Hans Kunkel is business manager and Ing. Arthur Wilke is technical manager.

2. With three shifts, daily capacity is as follows:

Synthetic rubber (synthetic milk)	7 tons
Acetone	0.6
Acetone dihydrogen	0.6
Acetone charcoal	1.8 kg.

3. Actual production in 1946 and projected production for 1947 in tones

	Synthetic Carbon	Active Carbon	Medicinal Sulphide	Charcoal	Charcoal
1st Quarter 1946	886	~	~	~	377
2nd	n	602	~	~	515
3rd	n	882	275	47.66	62
4th	n	618	260	30	45
1947	2,472	1,800	255	1.8	

4. The following personnel are employed in the manufacturing process:

22 scientists

10 technicians

49 foremen

1804 skilled workers (776 men, 1128 women) (total as given by source)

216 unskilled workers (110 men, 106 women)

552 mechanics (515 men, 7 women)

72 apprentices (64 boys, 8 girls)

49 additional (38 men, 11 women)

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5. AGFA-Seide has laboratories for synthetic silk, carbon disulphide, active charcoal, and synthetic fibres, but laboratory work is limited because a large part of the equipment was dismantled in 1945. The laboratory employs 3 scientists, 11 technicians (6 men, 5 women), and 152 assistants (71 men, 81 women).
6. The factory has 85 railroad cars, 5 passenger cars, 3 trucks, and 1 trailer at its disposal.

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